

Max

Max is 16 years old. Here's what he would like you to know about him

### My favorite foods

I like Junk Food, though I am finding myself open to more foods in recent months. My favorite meal is corned beef and cabbage with potatoes. I believe it is more the circumstances and company than the meal itself. I believe the memory of the meal has more meaning.

## My favorite things

I like surfing the internet, and spending time with my sisters. I have a developing interest in the outdoors; including kayaking, hiking and rock climbing. I like to read and to write. I am also beginning to develop on interest for biology and the sciences.

# Things I don't like

I REALLY dislike being encouraged to eat organic foods, and dislike politics being talked at me. I get upset when I wake up and discover the news channel playing on the television. I am bothered by the negativity on the news. I also do not like it when people try to "shove" ideas or concepts "down my throat."

#### What I want from a family

I want my new family to have a lot of consistency, and to be responsible for their actions. I want them to be open to my connection with my sisters, and to support me in that. As well as supporting my connection with the community I currently live in.

I would like to live in a large town or small city. I would prefer a couple, saying that I really do not want a single parent household. I would rather not be an only child.

### What I want families to know about me

I want prospective families to know that I am very responsible for a youth my age. I am intelligent, and very articulate. I want a family that will give me the opportunity to grow as a part of the family and to experience the world as I grow.

#### What we are looking for in a family for Max

Parents who can provide consistency and structure. Parents who will help Max manage his medical concerns. Parents who are open to maintain the family connections that is important to Max. A family who is open to working as part of a team to help Max grow and learn in the world around him.

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